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COLLEGE HILL.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Comment, News Items and Occurrences of Note Recorded by our Special College Correspondent.

Miss Gertie Means is still very sick.

J. E. Love attended chapel Monday morning.

J. F. Magill is worse. His friends are very anxious about him.

Prof. Rogers preached an excellent sermon at the M. E. Church Sabbath morning.

The Demorest Contest which was to have been held in the chapel last Friday evening was postponed until Monday evening.

Miss Minnie McAdoo received the medal last night, at the chapel, for being the best declaimer. The program was good especially the music.

Prof. Crawford and Major McTeer went to Knox county Saturday to attend to selling some College lands. They were successful in their mission.

Misses Ida Alexander and Jonnie Rorex went to the annual decoration of Baker's Creek graveyard Saturday. The students who were to assist with the music on that occasion could not attend because the funeral services of their fellow-student, George Cooper, took place at that time.

Prof. Crumley has been visiting friends on the Hill. He will have charge of the Harrison and Chilhowee Academy another year. This school has been eminently successful during the past year, more than two hundred and fifty students having been enrolled.

An entertainment will be given in College Chapel Thursday evening beginning at 7:30. Recitations and music will constitute the first part of the exercises. After this there will be a social in the chapel. All are cordially invited. Admission 15 cents for one or 25 cents a couple.

George Glenn Cooper died at his home, in Maryville, on Friday morning, May 10, at 7 o'clock. He had been out of school for three weeks. His disease was typho-malarial fever. His father, Rev. J. H. Cooper, of Rockwood, and the rest of the family were at his bedside during his sickness. George made a gallant fight for life, and was hopeful to almost the last. The news of his death fell like a thunderbolt upon his fellow-students and teachers. No one in College was more universally respected and beloved. Although he was as yet only a Freshman, his influence was probably as great as that of any student. Without arrogating the position to himself, he was fast becoming a leader in his classes, in the Y. M. C. A. and in the Alpha Sigma Society. A wide-awake, public-spirited young man, he was always ready to do his part in making a success of any movement that would advance the causes in which he was interested. His charitable disposition kept him from speaking ill of any one. His kindness showed itself in his eagerness to do a favor. His purity was manifest in his conversation and life. His Christianity was lived every day. A zealous, consistent follower of his Redeemer, he led others to his Lord. He was endowed by nature with an excellent mind, and made excellent use of his endowment. He stood in the front rank of the scholarly students, and was especially able in public speech and in the use of the pen. The "College Notes" which for several months past have attracted the attention of the readers of THE MARYVILLE TIMES, were his work. All his varied powers and versatility of genius he had determined to consecrate to the Christian minis-

try, and was humbly but successfully pushing toward that goal when he was summoned to the ministry above. He was born in Fair Haven, Ohio, October 6, 1868, and so was not twenty-one years old at the time of his death. He united with the church in April, 1881. During his sickness he exhibited the strongest faith and most trustful disposition of mind. He took great comfort in the promises of God. He has left a legacy of memories for his family that will be better than aught else, save the grace of God, to cheer their sad hearts.

Saturday morning by 10:30 the chapel nearly filled by students and friends who had gathered to pay a last tribute of respect to their departed fellow-student and friend George G. Cooper. The invocation was pronounced by Prof. Rogers, after which the College quartette, assisted by Misses Agnes Clemons and Erie Brown, sang "I would not live always." Rev. Lord then offered prayer. Then followed Scripture reading by Prof. Rogers. The quartette again sang "Go to they grave." After which Prof. Wilson delivered a very touching funeral address. He said he felt more like sitting with the mourners than like speaking; that more than the ordinary friendship which exists between teacher and pupil existed between himself and George. He spoke of the intellectual traits of the departed one as being strength, versatility, ambition, energy and perseverance; the moral traits as being purity, conscientiousness, faithfulness, painstaking fidelity and self-control; his religious traits as being Christian faith, consecration, activity, prudence, tact, and prayerfulness. The address touched a responsive chord in the hearts of all who knew George. Another piece of music, "Gone Before," was sung. Rev. Bassett then spoke of the warning this sudden coming of the Master should be to all present. At the close of these remarks, Prof. Cate read the resolutions adopted by the Alpha Sigma Society. Prof. Rogers next paid a brief tribute and dwelt upon the lessons of the providence. After which the quartette sang "Come ye disconsolate." The students and friends, after viewing the remains, passed out of the chapel and formed in two columns between which the corpse was borne by twelve pallbearers. The procession marched to the College Cemetery in the following order: first the family, next the Faculty, followed by the Alpha Sigma Society, last came the remainder of the students and friends. Our friend is gone but his memory will remain with us.

"And when these dear ones hidden pass away
The other side, beyond the mountain's crown
The silver twinkling vein
Of sadness comes a-brook to touch us so—
New courage in our sinking hearts doth grow,
We urge us on again."

The following resolutions were adopted by the Alpha Sigma Society.

Whereas, It has pleased almighty God in his infinite wisdom to remove from earth our beloved fellow-member and brother, George Glenn Cooper, and

Whereas, For the past three years he has been an active, earnest and zealous worker of the Alpha Sigma Society, and

Whereas, by his gentleness of spirit, kindness of heart, Christian endeavors and universal courteousness, he has endeared himself to his fellow-members, therefore be it

Resolved, 1st. That in this dispensation of an all-wise Providence we bow our heads submissively, while deeply deploring the death of our beloved brother, and

Resolved, 2nd. That we tender our profound and heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their great sorrow, and further be it

Resolved, 3rd. That as a mark of respect to the departed the members of the society wear for thirty days the society badge of mourning and that for the same length of time the door, chandeliers, pictures and presidents stand be draped in black, and

Resolved, 4th. That the secretary be instructed to furnish the deceased's family a copy of these

resolutions and likewise the TIMES and News with a request to publish the same.

J. S. GREER,
G. H. LOWERY,
ARTHUR RUBLE,
Committee.

Gainesville, Georgia.

The weather is very warm here now. Farmers say the cotton was injured by the late cold snap which lasted about two weeks. The fruit crop is safe; cherries are getting ripe, strawberries have been on market for three weeks. Spring chickens have been in the market for two weeks at 25 cents a piece. This is the greatest poultry market I ever saw; beside the city supply thousands are shipped every week sometimes more than a thousand a day. Poultry raising could be made very profitable here.

Gainesville will soon be a lively place, visitors are already coming from Florida and Alabama.

Cases of yellow fever have been reported from Sanford and Jacksonville, Fla. These places are quarantined.

Messrs. Callaway and Montgomery are in Gainesville with a drove of Tennessee horses. They have disposed of a few here and will probably go to Atlanta soon. Their horses are considered extra fine. The people in this part of Georgia take but little interest in stock raising; all the best horses have been brought from Tennessee and Kentucky.

A man named William C. Wallace died here a few days ago, who was born in Maryville Oct. 7th 1827. He moved to Florida in time of the late war and had been living here nine years. He was injured by a railroad accident about a year ago, and had never recovered. Mr. Wallace was a very popular man in Gainesville.

I send my respects to the TIMES and all its readers.

R. S. PHELPS.

The Health of Maryville.

The spring season in this latitude is the sickly season of the year, and yet with a population of three thousand there have been not to exceed a dozen cases of sickness.

The TIMES has given every case of sickness that has come under its local reporters knowledge. It is not true that there has been a desire to keep the sickness of the town concealed. That has never been the policy of the TIMES. It has given all the cases of sickness in Maryville. We invite a careful perusal of the local items of the TIMES to prove this. There is no town in East Tennessee that has as good a record as Maryville for health.

Memorial Services.

The A. B. McTeer Post G. A. R. will hold memorial services at Bethlehem church near Ellettsburg on May 30th.

Post will meet at Prospect Hall at 9 a. m., start in procession at 10. Ceremonies begin at Bethlehem at 11 a. m.

All are invited to attend. Flowers will be gratefully received.

A. M. GAMBLE, P. C.

An Important Sale.

Messrs. Irwin and Cowan, practical workman have purchased of David Jones his brick factory building with the machinery paying him \$5,000. They also buy his lumber of which we have not received the invoice price of. These gentlemen propose to run the business with all energy they possess.

Shot Himself.

George James, of the 6th District, accidentally shot himself in the bowels while fooling with his pistol, last Saturday night. He died on Sunday morning, at seven, a. m. If people will fool with pistols and guns they will probably themselves suffer or cause others to suffer by their carelessness.

MARYVILLE.

BY WILL A. McTEER.

In the early settlement of this section of the country, the great object in locating a town was to select a place convenient to springs of water. On this account many of our towns were nestled in between the hills, in the low grounds. On this Maryville was peculiarly and fortunately situated, having the advantages of numerous springs of the finest flowing, sparkling water almost circling the original town, and at the same time the place is on high ground, rolling sufficiently to be well drained on all sides, giving a pure atmosphere with magnificent views of the mountains on both sides.

Dr. J. E. Gillespie, an able and experienced physician who spent his life in the county, and died at an advanced age a few years since, once said to the writer that there was not a healthier locality to be found anywhere in the country than Maryville. He had watched it closely a long life time through a large practice; and, he said, there was an epidemic in about the year 1844, caused by a large mill dam on the western part of the town which confined the water until it became somewhat stagnant, and filled the town with a deadly fever, but when the dam was torn out, the fever disappeared, health was restored, and since that time there had been no place in the county, not even in the mountains with their pure, fresh and invigorating breezes, where there were fewer cases of sickness or deaths, in proportion to the number of inhabitants, than had been in Maryville.

This was very high authority, for all who knew Dr. Gillespie, knew that he was one of the closest observers in the line of his profession that has ever practiced in Blount county.

The creek coming around the point of which the original town is situated, and forming the shape of a horse shoe, together with the bold springs along the banks, almost without number, afford ample drainage to carry away all waste substances accumulating which become deleterious to health.

The original town has been mentioned. By this is meant the fifty acres first laid off for a town, and seventy years ago the greater part of Maryville was within that boundary; but now the place has spread while the greater part of the town is outside of the old boundary and some of the most attractive parts of the place are on the hill tops now adorned with residences surrounded by young and beautiful shade and fruit trees in the shadow of which melodies ring out from the notes of robins, mocking birds, cat birds, thrush and occasionally the red bird; which seventy years ago were regarded as waste fields. There were not exceeding 500 inhabitants at that date, and now have near 3000.

The moral sentiment of the citizens is also remarkable. There is no saloon here, and for that reason there is very little profanity, drunkenness, quarrels or bickering. In order to drive out the saloon two thirds of the voters petitioned the authorities for the abandonment of the municipal government. The petition was granted, and while there is some considerable inconvenience in not having a municipality on account of keeping the streets in the best of order, yet without liquor experience has taught that there is no need of police officers, while the streets are kept in very good condition under the road law of the State. It is now a very unusual thing to see a drunk man in Maryville.

The place has never been cursed with one of the latter day booms, yet it has had a remarkable healthy growth. Good citizens from every part of the country are made welcome. A large portion of the present citizens are from New York, Ohio, Indiana and other States in northern part of the

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From Chicago.
CHICAGO, May 11th, 1889.

A. J. NEFF, Esq.,
Dear Sir:—Having recently purchased a tract of land in Blount county containing some 10,000 acres recently known as the Gould tract, I am naturally interested in the progress of things in that section of the county, and having seen a sample copy of the THE MARYVILLE TIMES which impressed me as a good, live, newsworthy paper, I desire to subscribe to same.

Please find one dollar which I notice is subscription price, and send the paper to my residence address, 5135 Corwell Ave., Hyde Park, Ill., and very much obliged
Yours truly,
S. S. BEMAN.

Sample Copy.

A large number of copies of the TIMES is sent to persons who have not subscribed, marked "Sample Copy." Please read carefully, and hand over to a good neighbor, who is interested in the South, especially East Tennessee. And it might be well to send the publisher 25 cents for the paper for three months, as it is full of information on the interests of the great South.

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JOHN KEY.
An old motto is: "Start your boys on the right track." That's older said than done; it requires too much switching in some cases.